

Remarks/Arguments:

The claims currently pending in this application are claims 37-52, 60, 72, 79, 84 and 102. It is noted with appreciation that claims 60, 72, 79, 84 and 102 have been allowed and that claims 41-49, 51 and 52 are merely objected to. By this amendment, claim 37 is amended. For the reasons stated below, it is respectfully submitted that each of currently pending claims 37-52, 60, 72, 79, 84 and 102 are in condition for allowance.

Claim 37 (unlike the other independent claims in this application) recites a door mounted for sliding reciprocation. Claim 37 has been amended herein to further recite that the door is mounted for sliding reciprocation along a *substantially horizontal* path when the container is substantially upright. Support for the amendment to claim 37 is found throughout the specification and figures.

Claims 37-40 and 50 stand rejected. In view of the amendment to claim 37, it is respectfully submitted that the current rejections have been overcome. Specifically, it is respectfully submitted that claim 37, as amended, is patentable over the cited prior art and that dependent claims 38-40 and 50 are also patentable over the cited prior art.

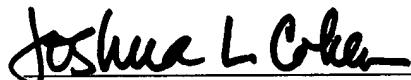
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CONCLUSION

In view of the amendment to claim 37, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in form for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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